

THE WEATHER REPORT

FORECAST—Oklahoma: Fair and somewhat cooler Sunday; Monday fair.
TULSA: Nov. 27.—The temperature: Maximum 65, minimum 50; north winds and clear.

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GREECE PLAYS WAITING GAME; GERMANS GAIN

London Jumped at Conclusion Too Quickly in Balkan Situation.

FURTHER DELAY IS NOW CERTAIN

Russia Has \$350,000 Troops on Rumanian Frontier Ready to Attack.

LONDON, Nov. 25.—(10 p. m.)—The Greek situation has been succeeded by something in the nature of a reaction and the prevailing opinion at the present time is that the press and public jumped too quickly to the agreeable conclusion that Greece would concede readily all the allied demands. Although all the forecasts and speculation regarding Greece's reply to the entente ministers new note embodying the detailed demands of their governments that Greece guarantee security and liberty of action to the Franco-British troops on Greek soil, continue to be optimistic, the latest information from Athens clearly indicates that Greece has not yet definitely abandoned the dilatory tactics which caused the allies such uneasiness. It is now reported from Athens that the Greek government probably will propose that military experts representing the entente powers shall be appointed to discuss with the Greek government the demands which it has heretofore been assumed were already satisfactorily answered.

The Bulgarian operations in the neighborhood of Manastir apparently have frustrated the hopes of a union of Serbian and allied troops in southern Serbia; hence the use of the railroads in Greek territory to effect such a union has become of the utmost importance.

Germans Claim Gains.

The Germans officially announce further progress beyond Pristina and Mitrovica and central Serbia apparently is almost cleared of Serbian troops. But in the southern sector in the neighborhood of Kraljevo the French are at least holding their own. If they have not gained a slight advantage in the series of attacks and counter-attacks which have given the fighting here the character of an almost continuous battle for several days.

Notwithstanding the persistence of the Bulgarian advance the Serbians continue their defensive south and west of Pripet and according to a late unconfirmed Athens dispatch they have retaken Krashovo.

Russia is now said to have 350,000 troops near the Rumanian frontier in preparation for an attack on Bulgaria by land or sea but this has not prevented any definite declaration of Rumania's intentions.

FROM HAY RACKS TO MOTOR TRUCKS FOR THESE KIDS

Instead of plodding through dust and mud to a little red schoolhouse, pupils of the Jenks school district will hereafter ride in state on a huge motor truck to a modern fireproof structure. The school has recently been built at a cost of \$45,000 and is furnished with gas, water and electricity.

But the crowning achievement of this little district was the purchase of a huge "jitney" from a local firm which carries from forty to forty-five students to and from school every day. The truck took the place of three wagons which were used on account of the distance which the children were forced to come.

The "jitney" each morning goes six miles out of Jenks on one road and returns by way of another road to the schoolhouse. This is repeated after school has dismissed. The entire trip is made in one hour and a half.

GOVERNMENT RESTS IN EDITOR'S CASE

AUGUSTA, Ga., Nov. 27.—The government late today rested its case in the trial of Thomas E. Watson of Thomson, Ga., charged with sending obscene matter through the mails after witnesses testified that Watson had signed circulation statements of publications mentioned in the indictment and that copies of the publications which contained the alleged improper language had been sent through the mails. The jury, the prosecution held, should determine whether the language was obscene.

Certain parts of the alleged obscene matter, published in Latin, were translated to the jury by Professor R. L. Pulliam of Mercer university.

The trial will be resumed Monday. Marvin Brown, editor of the Menace, a magazine published at Aurora, Mo., attended the trial today accompanied by counsel.

Asks \$20,000 Heart Balm in Suit Against Noted West Point Athlete



MISS HELEN VAN NESS & LIEUT. LOUIS A. MERILLA

NEW YORK, Nov. 27.—The suit today of Miss Helen Van Ness of Wooster, Ohio, the superior court of Cook county, asking for \$20,000 damages from Lieutenant Louis A. Merilla, jr., because she alleged, he refused to carry out his agreement to wed her, will be fought. Clarence Darrow, the noted Chicago attorney, has been retained to defend Lieutenant Merilla.

Lieutenant Merilla, now stationed at Madison Barracks, New York, was graduated from West Point last June, and during the four years of his student life, engaged to the plaintiff as one of the best athletes produced in this country in recent years. He was captain of the football team.

Miss Van Ness, according to her story, met the young military student during a vacation he spent on a farm his father owns in that country near Orville. She was working as a stenographer at Orville then, and during the summer of 1913, after they became acquainted through an introduction by a mutual friend, friendship rapidly ripened into love. Then Merilla went back to West Point while she continued her work. Later he married another girl.

NEW GARAGE AMONG STATE TEACHERS PERMITS FOR WEEK ELECT C. W. BRILES

Structures in Past Seven Days Represent Total Cost of \$19,300.

President of Ada Normal Selected Without Opposition Yesterday.

BUILD APARTMENTS MEETING ADJOURNS

Farthest-Out Building of Kind Erected on South Main Street.

Endorsement of State Superintendent Only Act of a Political Nature.

BUILDING permits aggregating \$19,300 were issued in the office of the building inspector last week, which greatly augmented the unusually large figure for the month, which promises to exceed the record of October.

As usually is the case, most of the permits last week were issued for buildings of the smaller variety, such as garages and modest dwellings. However, to John O. Mitchell and J. E. Crosbie one was issued for the construction of a one-story garage on East Second which will cost \$9,000. This structure will be one of the finest of its kind in Tulsa and will add greatly to the property value in the district in which it is situated.

S. E. Dunn made application for

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GENIUS BECKONED, FAME CAME QUICK

Chance Song Raised McCormack to the Pinnacle of Fame.

AND STORK ARRIVED

Son Born at the Time Noted Irish Tenor Registered "Hit."

It is an old saying that genius triumphs over time. What we usually mean when we use this saying is that time, with its wear and tear, mountains and hills, valleys and canyons to the last of millions of unremembered men, is unable to wipe out the great genius. The great genius is a force which, by its very nature, is immortal. It is a force which, by its very nature, is immortal. It is a force which, by its very nature, is immortal.

A notable instance of this is furnished in the career of John McCormack, the great Irish tenor, who is to appear in a concert at Tulsa tonight.

McCormack is now in his thirtieth year. When he was 22 years old he came to London from Italy, where he had been studying under a great Italian master, Sabatini, and found in the vast metropolis that he was only one of thousands of young singers striving to battle their way to recognition. He was not even a name in the musical world of London. He called upon a certain manager and offered to work for \$25 a week. The manager shook his head. About a month ago the same manager offered McCormack \$1,250 a concert for a series of 21 concerts in the British islands—just fifty times as much as the figure which was turned down seven years before.

Had to Be Genius.

If McCormack had not been a genius he never could have become what he did in the short space of seven years. And so, in more than one way, genius triumphs over time. But chance sometimes comes to the aid of genius. Some people call it luck. Others call it opportunity. Chance, luck, opportunity—all of them will come to the aid of McCormack when a person of great influence happened to hear him sing. This person became interested in him and obtained for him an engagement to appear at one of the House of Lords concerts in London. It was the big concert of the season. On the program were the names of some of the world's best-known singers. The name of McCormack was nothing to anyone in the audience except to a few of his friends. He was down for only one number. The others on the program had two appearances.

The house was like an island when I stepped out on the platform," says McCormack. But the ice quickly melted. The other artists got the usual single encore, but the young Irish boy was called out three times. The next day a great paper in London spoke of the remarkable young tenor who had created such a sensation at the concert in Albert hall. Like Lord Byron, he had become famous overnight.

Civil Arrived.

Immediately after the concert McCormack sent a wire to his wife, then with her parents in Dublin, telling her of the hit he had scored. He barely had time to glance over the papers the following morning when he was an answering wire from his father-in-law.

Double congratulations, Johnny, a new tenor has arrived. Lily and boy doing well. Little Cyril, known as "Johnny's brother," has made his debut on this earthly scene.

After that single concert there was no question as to McCormack's standing in the artistic world. The next season he was engaged to sing in Covent Garden. He was the youngest singer who had ever appeared there in leading roles. Every season since then he has been one of the singers there. "John McCormack," remarked the London Times last year, "has established the right to be named as the most reliable and popular of the male artists appearing at the famous temple of music, Covent Garden."

Only a few good seats for the McCormack recital are left at the Rexall drug store.

Small Capital.

Uncle James—And what would you do, Bobby, if I were to give you a penny?

Bobby—I couldn't do very much, uncle, with a penny.

Another New Building for Tulsa

This building will be three stories, 40x140 feet, and will be reinforced concrete and fireproof throughout. The plans are being drawn for the Nichols Transfer & Storage Co., and construction will begin at once. This company has just completed an addition, 75x140, which they have fitted up with iron lockers or rooms for household goods. An automatic sprinkler has been installed by the Rockwood Automatic Sprinkler company, which makes a fire impossible, and gives them a low rate of insurance.

Bones doing a big storage business the Nichols company operates more wagons and employs more men than any company in the state and will always store cheaper because they pay no rent.—Adv.

TULSA MAN HEADS TRUST COMPANY

Special to The World.

MUSKOGEE, Nov. 27.—The Mid-Continent Life Insurance directors in meeting this afternoon voted the organization of a \$100,000 trust company to be known as the Mid-Continent Trust company, and set the insurance company stock in half to form the capital stock of the new company.

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John McCormack, Who Sings in Tulsa Tuesday



JUST \$508.26 FOR EVERYONE IN TOWN TO OPEN TOMORROW

That Is Per Capita Wealth of Tulsa, According to Banks.

Everything Electrical Will Be Shown in Glass Building.

HAVE YOU GOT IT? A SPECIAL PROGRAM

All Could Have Fords If Deposits Were Equally Divided.

Suitable Christmas Gifts May Be Seen During the Week.

If you were suddenly called on to produce \$500,000, would you do it? It shouldn't be much of a task and you should be able to find eight crisp one dollar bills and a little pocket change amounting to 24 cents in your pocket after you have paid out the half thousand.

In other words—if the total deposits in Tulsa banks were apportioned equally among every man, woman and child in the city there would be just \$508.26 for each and every one.

The last statement issued by Tulsa banks showed deposits amounting to \$15,247,905.49 on November 16. All previous records were thereby surpassed.

There is no other city or town in the United States and Europe with so great a per capita wealth. If each person should be given his portion of the fund it would be possible for us all to ride in Fords.

This per capita rate is determined by the division of the aggregate funds in all the city banking institutions amounting to \$15,247,905.49 by the total population of the city, estimated at thirty thousand.

Your share is just \$508.26. Have you got it?

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Among the Want Ads.

Wanted a good housekeeper or cook. If you are interested send today a want ad back, and you will find a lot more to suit a home.

GERMANY ASKS FOR APOLOGY IN BOY-ED CASE

Bernstorff Said to Be Preparing Protest Against Incidents in Trial.

COPY OF EVIDENCE HAS BEEN ORDERED

Think False Papers Were Made to Lead Astray Enemies of Germany.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 27.—The German embassy, according to information today from an authoritative source, remains the indignation which are understood to have been made against Capt. Karl Boy-Ed, German naval attaché here in the trial in federal court at New York of officials of the Hamburg-American line. It was said Ambassador von Bernstorff was preparing to file a vigorous protest with the state department at the conclusion of the trial, asking at least for something in the nature of a retraction and apology.

The German embassy, it is understood, has not yet decided just what form the protest will take. A copy of the stenographic report of the remarks of counsel for the government and the testimony given at the trial is understood to have been ordered from New York so that officials of the embassy may know exactly what has been said in the courtroom.

Whom Did He Mean?

The embassy is particularly anxious to determine the identity of Captain Boy-Ed, who is charged with having written the letter in the captioned matter by Ambassador von Bernstorff. The embassy is anxious to know the identity of the person in close touch with officials of the embassy that it was felt Captain Boy-Ed had been very harshly treated in the circumstances and that too much had been made out of his connection with the case. The embassy was described further as feeling that Captain Boy-Ed had done nothing that under the law he did not have a perfect right to do and that all things considered, he had done no more than naval attaches of embassies of the entente allies.

Expected Protest.

It is known that Secretary Lansing himself for several days has considered it probable that the German ambassador would make a protest. The state department takes the position that the embarrassing of funds did not mean that the naval attaché had done anything illegal.

It is understood the belief in Germany is that if there was any falsification of papers it must have been the result of an effort to prevent the exposure of Germany from securing information which might cause harm to come to her forces and ships.

MILLION BALES OF COTTON RECEIVED

GALVESTON, Nov. 27.—The port of Galveston today passed the million mark in cotton receipts. There have been received 1,000,439 bales this season, according to figures compiled by the cotton exchange officers. This is not after the receipt of Mexican cotton and from shipments have been deducted.

The receipts at this port of Galveston are approximately 20 per cent greater than those of any other United States port. Receipts of the season to date at the other ports have been as follows:

New Orleans, 595,615 bales; Mobile, 44,071; Savannah, 542,029; Charleston, 159,008; Wilmington, 121,891; Norfolk, 116,065; Baltimore, 12,591; New York, 2,900; Boston, 4,926; Philadelphia, 377; Texas City, 157; 213; Newport News, 7,808; Brunswick, 22,498; Port Aransas, 32,370; Panama, 24,080; Port Arthur, 8,343; Pacific ports, 55,084; all other ports, 22,345.

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WON'T CHANGE BANK SYSTEM

Representative Glass is Well Pleased With New Law.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 27.—Representative Glass of Virginia, chairman of the house banking committee, said today that if his committee recommended any change in the federal reserve banking system at the coming session of congress it would be only after very careful consideration.

"The federal reserve act is working out well," said Representative Glass, "and I believe the house banking and currency committee will take the position that this is no time to make radical changes in the law."

Cardinal Visits Pope.

ROME, Nov. 27.—(9:53 p. m.)—Today Pope Benedict received Cardinal von Hartmann, archbishop of Cologne, in a private audience which lasted an hour. Cardinal von Hartmann expressed satisfaction as he was leaving the papal apartment but no indication of the subjects discussed was given.

TULSA SHOPPERS' GUIDE

The advertisements in this issue of The World afford shoppers an unusual opportunity to study the Christmas values that are offered by the various merchants. Now is the time to do your Christmas shopping, and after carefully scanning the pages of this issue you will be able to buy early and buy intelligently; thus getting the cream of the goods before the usual final rush, and at prices that are reasonable.